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## CITY OF WASHINGTON, SATURDAY MORNING, NOVEMBER 29, 1856.

Proposals for Erecting the Custom-House, &c., at Georgetown, D. C.

VOLUME VI.

Teragury Department, Sophumber 94, 1856.

SALED PROPOSALS will be received at this department until to the 22d day of November, A. D. 1.56, at 12 o'clock at noon, for the construction of the George fown custom-house and pot toffice according to the pume and specifications prepared at this department; and proposars to be either for the whole building or separate for the effects, kinds of work; has o' parcels should accompany each bid, with the amount of each kind of work, and the total amount, anned out; the department reserving the right to reject or accept the proposals hereby invited, or any parts thereof, when it do ms the internal of the United States requires it; the department also re-

the work.

Bids wid be received in gross, at the ortion of the hidders; but no

Bids wid be received in gross, at the ofton of the bidders; but no contract with be awarded to such bidders until details are furnished the department of the prices of the different kinds of work and marrials, which shall be subject to the ceition of the department, so that the gross bid shall be equitably apportioned upon the whole Nicely percent of the amount of work done and materials delivered, according to contract price [sold amount to be ascertained by the estimate of an agent of the department, appointed for that purpose,) will be paid from time to time, as the wick progresses, and ten per cent, retained with the completion of the contract, and acceptance of the work, &c. by the agent absreading and be forested in the event of non-fulfilment of contract.

Contracts will be awarded only to master builders and mechanics, and the assignment thereof, except by concent of the Secretary of the reastly, with be a foristion of the same.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a written guarantee, signed by two responsible persons, (certified to be no back United States of the work, when required, if his puppose) be accepted, and the into a Good.

Thus dependent and bond, with preper and sufficient securities for the reastly and the reformance.

Thus appointed persons, and working drawings can be examined affection to the other thorse days, and once their of our professions of the contract of the professions, and working drawings can be examined affective their days, and other thormation obtained on applica into the

its initiafu) performance.

I'lans specifications, end working drawings can be examined at ter thirty days, and other information obtained on application to the department.
The proposals must be sent to this department, addressed to the Secretary of the Tensury, tendorsed "Proposals for the Georgetow, Custom Houe, &c.,") and will be opened at 1 o'clock, p. m., of the last day named for receiving the same.

JAMES GUTHRIE,
Secretary of the Treasury.
Sept 24—2aw60days [Int. & Star.]

## SOUTHERN RAILROAD.

STATE OF M. SISSIPFI, CITY OF VICESBURG, Office of the southern Railroad Company.

If HE Southern Railroad Company invite proposals from contractors for the clearing, graduation, masonly, tresting and bridging, necessary to the complete preparation for the superstructure of the roadway of the eastern divisia of their road.

Also, for furnisming the cross-ties, and for the track-laying, with not recombined work necessary.

Also, for furnishing the cross ties, and for the track-laying, with ny meidental wors necessary.

And for all other work, stations, platforms, depots, &c., required the thorough completion of the road for effective operation.

The graduation associate to 770,900 cubic yards of excavation, and 5,000 cubic yards of embankment.

The treating to 4,000 teet.

The majoury for culvers amonuts to 10,000 perch.

The cross-ties to 180,000.

The cross-ties to 180,000 and directed to the undersigned, will received until the last of November next, and will be, at the open of budders, either for—

1. The entire work of construction, completing the road ready for it from;

it. The work of construction, exclusive of cross-ties and track-

II. The work of constants.

111. For each item of work, entire and separate.

112. For the grading of either, or a specified number of sections of one mile each;

V. For the cross-ties to be furnished, the number specified;

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of one mile each;

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VI. For the cross-ties to be furnished, the number specified;

VI. For the entire constitution, ready for the iron, of either of the irred visions herrin division, connecting with the completed road at or ear the t-wn of Brandon, extends to the Mobile and Ohio road, 82, which while divided into inter subdivisions; the first of visites, which will be divided into inter subdivisions; the first of visites, which will be divided into inter subdivisions; the first of visites, which will be divided into inter subdivisions; the first of visites, which are divided into interest will state this item prices, and or the g aduation will make his bid at so much per cubic yard or cavation and embasikined, and the additional difference for "excess."

The patters making proposals are desired to make them in four times: 1. For the whole amount payable monthly in cash, as through progresses, reserving twenty per dent. for final settlement. 2. The ball of cash, payable in the same way, and one-final in the ock of the company, and one-final in the roads of the company, payable in ten years, a to interest at six per such, payable annually. 4. Payable entirely in the stock of the difference of the considered must be accompany and one-find to the same.

ond.
The proposals to be considered must be accompanied by satisfacely references or credentials, and the company reserve the right of accompany or declining all.
Maps. profiles, and specifications may be seen at this office; and specification to the open specification of the constraints.

Maje profiles, and specifications may be seen at any timber, and any further information will be turnshed upon application to the undersgoed. The Southern railroad commences at Jackson, the capital of the State, and is finished as are as the town or Brancoh; and it in good dimining or e and well equipped to that point. It extremely the dimining of e and well equipped to that point it extremely the intersection of the Mobile and Other rational, a few mines below the town of Anaton, in Landerdade crimity, an passes through the countries of Sankin, Sout, and Newina. The like is over a high-toling country, well we bred and timbered, and in point of healt toliness, economical tring, See, squate to the most of the Verrations of the Carolinas and Georgia. The grading except for the first we may miss, is generally light, and upon the most of the section, the exception of the Carolinas and Georgia. The grading except for the first we may miss, in generally light, and upon the most of the section, the exception of the control of the section of the exception of

The road connects with and is an extension of the Vicksburg and Jackson railroad, completed and in full operation to the Mississiprice at Vicksburg, completed and in full operation to the Mississiprice at Vicksburg, competite which city, in Louisiana, commence he Vicksburg, shreveport, and T-ray railroad, now under contract to its whole distance, and in rapid progress of construction. It is terrects the New Orleans and Jackson Great Northern railway at Jackson; and through that at 'autom, connects with the Mississippi Centri irailway, the iron or which is now being taid to Holly Springs. Interrsects with the Models and Onlorialroad, as already statedness Marion, and as its point of intersection meets with the North castern and Southwestern railroad in Alabama, and through the North units with the reads in Virailia, Teinessee, and North Carolina it is also an indispensable tink in the line of railways that are to unite that lesson and Savannah, through Montgomery, Vicksberg, Shrevpoort, and El Pano, with the Pacific occast, running its virailing the operation of the control. It is the obvious that this time of work is one of the most important unfinished enterprises in the country. It is throughly national in its character, for it unites Maine and New Orleans, and the Adaptive of the control of the session and New Orleans, and the Adaptive of the session and New Orleans, and the session and the Mississippi, and the session and New Orleans, and the session and the Mississippi, and the session and New Orleans, and the session and the Mississippi, and the session and New Orleans, and the Adaptive of the session and New Orleans, and the session and the Mississippi, and the session and New Orleans, and the session and the Mississippi, and the session and New Orleans, and the session and the Mississippi, and the session and New Orleans, and the session and the Mississippi and

to outsthere upon and supports for when especially for aid to withere inch and southern enterprise. For when completed, with the intermediate gap in Aisbama, it will, with its redunctions now built and being built, run right torough the heart of these grat southern cotton growing fitnies. Louisians. Misssappp, Aisbama, Ge Tain, and South Carolina, and unite the great inland

Assume, see rain, and South Carolina, and unite, the great inland care with the broad overage.

These facts are stated to call attention to this line of read, and to induce equitations and constructions. The fifteen unives of completed rail ond, with its quipments and sary valuable a are many of them mechanics, is a broad from five state of Mi. elserpp; the public land has been donated by Compress and till, as they, not greatly over estimating the present property of the r ad to put it at or near one million of dollars, it will be not unusure stock-binder as who may be come such by direct substitution of money or work, will see at one equally intercented. It will thus be seen that the road presents peculiar inducements to men of means to engage in its constructions.

Hyd C. SMEDES,

Rept 12—ddllstOct President of the Sauthern Railroad.

To Druggists and the People. A U DETERMINE AND THE PEOPLE.

You'are hereby convoned against apprious imitations of Dr. Dr. Girs he "Electric tott," as I-hall proseents any party who use my copyrighted belts. This (senains) Electric Oil has cured the major of Clemiden of pites and rheatma ism; a low, Hon. John Wilhamson, of Huntingdon, Hon. E. Kitlingsurth, (who mit took off his traicties is one day,) and more than 700 others in Flinidelphia, whose names have been quities ed in the Philadelphia Ledger. The wordenessed scalars in Philadelphia would not countessance any scamp guilty of the rascality of constorfeiting. In Harrasburg, Pa. John Wyster, eag., the well known drugstet there, caused the artest and imprisonment of one Valentine, who attempted an imitation of this valuable remedy.

Priladelphia. May 5, 1856.

Uses of this valuable somedy.

PHILADRIPHIA, May 5, 1856.

To the People and Druggist throughout the United States:
List of cures by Prof. De Grain's Electric Oil: Jos. Free, West
Pathadelphia, of rheumarism; Mr. Rodenbok, Montgemery county,
Theumarism and sprain; Mrs. Ogders, No. 150 Pourrh street; inflammation of howels; Mrs. Nayland, Providence, shingles and cakes
mation of howels; Mrs. Mayland, Providence, shingles and cakes
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righteen others.

(gr-Every-druggist knows that the only genuine Electric Oil is made by the sole investor and proprietor, at his old office, to which all orders must be addressed to precire the genuine.

Proc. CHAS. DE GRATH,

Old office, 39 South 8th street, near the struct.

For sale by

July 10—tf Washington, D. C.

United States Patent Office, United States Patent Office, Washington, reptember 19, 1856.

() N he petition of Samuel Hewitt, of Rochester, Wisconsin, praying for the extension of a putent granted is him for an improvement in his presses for seven years from the experience of said patent, which takes pince on the thirtieth day of December, 1856—It is ordered that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office of Monday. Herewiter 22, 1856, at 12 ordered, in , and all persons notation to appear and show cause, if any they have, why said petition ought not to be granted.

Persons apposing the extension are required to file in the Patent Office their objections, specially set forth in writing, at least twent has been considered to the said hearing must be taken and transcritted in school and the said hearing must be taken and transcritted in school and the said hearing must be taken and transcritted in separate with the rules of the office, which will be furnished or application.

application.
The testimony in the case will be closed on the 10th of December, 1856; depositions, and other papers relied upon as testimony, must be filled in the office on or before the macening of that day; the arguments, if any, within ten days thereafter.
Ordered, also, that this notice be published in the Union, Intelligence, and Evening tar, Washington, O. G.; Ragubtican, Battimore Md.; Pennsylvanian, Philadelphia, Fa.; and Day Book, New York, N. V., Apre. a week for these successive weeks previous to the 29d of December next, the day of bearing.
Charlies MASON.
Commissioner of Patents.

PROPOSALS.

NAVY DEFARTMENT, Bureau of Yards and Docks, September 19, 1896.

Bureau of Yards and Bocks, September 19, 1506.

SEALED PROPOSALS for each class superately, endorsed "Proposate for Class No. (some the class.) for the navy-yard at (name the yard.) will be received at this office until mon on the 35th October next, for furnishing and delivering at the several navy-yards named the materials and articles embraced in the following classes, and which are particularly described in printed schedules, which will be furnished upon application, and sent by mail, it so requested, to persons destring to offer to oditract for any or all the classes named the commandants of these versions yards, for the classes for the yards under their command, by the navy agent classes for the yards under their command, by the navy agent classes for the yards under their command, by the navy agent classes for the yards under their command, by the navy agent the second of the second particularly in the classes of the yards under their command, by the navy agent the second particularly in the second particularly in the second particularly notified that their offers must be in the form hereinafter prescribed, and be mailed in time to reach their destination before the time expires for receiving them; no bid will be considered which shall be received after the period stated, and no allowance will be made for failures of the mail.

To gard against offers being open d before the time appointed, bidders are evaquested to endorse on the envelope above the address, and draw a line under the endorsement, thus: "Proposals for Class No. (name the yard.")

To the Chief of the Bureau of Yards and Docks, Washington, D. C.

FORM OF OFFICE.

I, (here interi the name,) of (name the town,) in the State of (name he State, hereby offer to furnish, under one). 1, (here invert the manne,) of (name thelows,) in the State of (name the State), hereby offer to furnish, under your advertisement dated (date of advertisement,) and subject to all the requirements of the same, and of the printed schedule to which it refers, all the articles embraced in Class No. (name the class,) for the navy-yard at (name the yard,) according to said schedule, viz: (here posts on the printed class from the schedule, and opposite each articles set the price, and carry out the amount in the convens for dallars and cents, and foot yet heaging specte amount of the bid for the class,) amounting to (here write the amount in words). ap the aggregor.

I pripose as my agent. (here name the agent, if one is required by
the schedule,) for the supply under the classes miscellancous, by a
non resident of he place of delivery; and should my cafe the accepdd I request the contract may be prepared and sent to the navyagent at (name the agency,) for signatures and certificate.

(Here the bidder to sign hit name.)

FORM OF GUARANTEE.

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The undersigned (name of guarantor,) of (name the town,) and State of (name the State,) and (name of second guarantors, &c.) hereby unde take that the above-named (name the Stater or bidders) will; it his for their] offer as above be accepted, enter unto contract with the United States within fifteen days after the date of nice, through the post office, of the acceptance of his for their] offers before mentioned.

Witness, [Signature of guarantors.] I certify that the above-named (here name the guarantors) are known to me to be good and responsible guarantors in this case.

[Signature,]

To be signed by the district judge, district attorney, collector, navy-agent, or some person known to the bureau to be responsible.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H. Ci'sa No. 12—Steel 14—Files 15—Paints, oils, and 2—Stone
3—Yellow-pine timber
4—Yellow-pine lumber
5—Oak plank
6—White pine and
spruce lumber,
seasoned
7—Lime
8—Cement
9—Gravel and sand
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The schedule will state the times within which articles will be required to be delivered; and where the princed achedule is not used, the periods stated in it for deliveries must be copied in the bids. All the articles which may be contracted for must be delivered at such place or piaces, including drayage and carting to the place where used within the navy yard, are proctively, for which the office is made, as may be directed by the commandant officer thereof; and, all other turns. No article will be received after the expiration of the periods proceded in the schedules for the completion of deliverine, unless turns. No article will be received after the expiration of the periods are unless to the completion of deliverine, unless turns. No article will be received after the expiration of the periods are unless to the said and the contract, and to be distinctly understood by the hiddray, that the amount and number of articles enumerated in classes headed "insectilancoust" are specified as the probable quantity which may be required, as well as to fix data for determining the lowest hid; but the contractor is to furnish more or less of the said enumerated articles, and is now however, not to exceed monthly of equinities stand, (and requisitions sent through the post office shall be deemed sufficient to equinities required by more or less than those specified, the publications, or samples, and a further description of the articles. Obstractions of the contract must be of the best quality, deliverine unless the contract must be of the best quality, deliverine unless the contract must be of the best quality, deliverine unless the contract must be of the best quality of the contract will be required. All the articles are to be delivered, will be required to name of the contract will be required as the contract will be required. All the articles are to be delivered, will be required to name their poposals an agent at the city or principal place near the part of delivery, who may be

and approved.

No part of the per centum reserved is to be paid until all the re Nov \$5-law@w (int.

jected articles offered under the contract shall have been removed from the yard, unless specially authorized by the department.

It will be stipulated in the contract that if default shall be made by the parties of the first part is delivering all or any of the articles mentioned, of the quality and at the times and places above provided, then, and is that case, the said parties will forfeit and pay to the Uniteo States, as liquidated damages, a sum of money equal to twice the amount of the contract proceed upon as the price to be pride for the articles in case of the actual delivery thereof, which injuidated damages may be recovered from time to time as they are injuidated damages may be recovered from time to time as they are.

The survites must sign the contract, and their responsibility certified to by a may agent, collector, district autoriney, or some other person salfactorily known to the bureau.

The survites must sign the contract that the bureau shall have the power of annulling the contract without loss or damage to the government, in case Congress shall not have made sufficient appropriations for the articles named, or for the completion of the works estimated for, and on which this advertisement is based, and shall also have the power to increase or diminish the quantities named in the classes not headed "miscellaneous" in the schedule twenty five percent.

Example 1.

Example 2.

Class II.

5,000 reams superfine sized and calendered printing paper, to measure 24 by 38 inches, and to weigh fifty two pounds to the ream of 480 sheets.

Class II.

5,000 reams superfine hard-sized and calendered printing paper, to measure 24 by 38 inches, and to weigh fifty-two pounds to the ream of 480 sheets.

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Splendid Schemes for November, 1856.

To be drawn under the superintendence of commissioners appointed by the governor. GREGORY & MAURY, Managers.

\$37,500 i Lottery for the benefit of the BTATE OF DELAWARE. Cians 267, for 1855. Po be drawn at Wilmington, Del., on Saturday, Nov. 29, 1855.

78 number lottery-15 drawn bailots Tickets \$10—haives \$5—quarters \$2 50.

Orders for tickets and shares and certificates of packages in the above splendid lotteries will receive the most prompt attention, and an account of each drawing will be sent immediately after it is over to all who order from me. Address

P. J. BUCKEY, Agent,
Wilmington, Del.

Oct 11† Brilliant Schemes for December, 1856.

GREGORY & MAURY, MARAGERS, Wilmington, Delaware. To be drawn under the superintendence of commission by the governor. \$40,000 !

Overy for the benefit of the Class 273, for 1856. To be drawn at Wilmington, Del., on Saturday, December 6, 1856.
78 number lottery—12 drawn ballots. 78 number fottery—12 drawn ballots.

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Do do 25 half do.....

Do do 26 quarter do..... \$30,453 : Lottery for the benefit of the STATE OF DELAWARE. Class 279, for 1855. Vilmington, Del., on Saturday, December 13, 1856. 78 number lottery-14 drawn ballots. BRILLIANT SCHEME. 

Ac. Tickets \$15-balves \$7 50-quarters \$3 75-Eighths \$1 87 % eruficates of packages of 96 wholes...
Do do 26 halves...
Do do 26 quarters
Do do 96 eighths... \$37,500 ! Lottery for the benefit of the STATE OF DELAWARE. Class 965, for 1656. To be drawn at Wilmington, Del., on Saturday, December 20, 1856 ery-13 drawn b 

\$67,500! Lottery for the benefit of the STATE OF DELAWARE. Class U. for 1856. To be drawn at Wilmington, Del., on Saturday, December 27, 1856 75 number lottery-19 drawn ball-ta. MYONILICA...

P. J. BUCKEY, Agent, Witmington, Delaware.

Manufacturer of
ARMY AND NAVY CLOTHING,
No. 10 south Fifth street, Philadelphia.
All colors and qualities of military and fancy cloths constantly on hand, and for sale at the lowest prices.
Oct 18—45m†

SPR NGFIELD HALL, HARFORD CO., MD. Boarding School for Boys-Number Limited to Twenty. REV. JOHN B. NEECH, PRINCIPAL.

REV. JOHN B. SEECH, PRINCIPAL.

THIS institution is seven sen miles from Baltimore, on the Harford turnpike, having a regular dealy communication thence by stages. The pupils are required to board with the principal, their lodgings (as well as the school room) being under the same roof. The attantion is remarkably heatthy, and remote from all scenes of temptation and view. The entire arrangements are of a character to adapt it to youth whose parents or guardians are prevented by absence of business from giving personal attention to their supervision. The course of instruction embraces ancient and modern in gauges, susthermatics, and the assail branches preparatory to college or any kind of business.

The winter session will commence November 1st, and close the 1st of April.

THOS. A. HENDRICKS, commissioner of the General Land Office. [Int. and Star]

Washington, October 1, 1856.

In pursuance of the provisions of the "Act to provide for executing the public printing," &c., approved August 26, 1852, scaled proposals will be received at this office, in the Capitol, until the direct Monday (1st day) of December next, at twelve o'clock, m., for farmining the paper that may be required for the public printing for the public printing on the lat day of December, 1856, and enaing on the lat day of December, 1856, and enaing on the lat day of December, 1856, and enaing on the lat day of December, 1856, and enaing on the lat day of December, 1856, and enaing on the lat day of December, 1856, and enaing on the lat day of December, 1856, and enable of the december, 1857.

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sneets each, and in bundles of two reams each, each ream to con-tain 480 princet sheets. Uniformity in color, thekness, and weight will be required; and no bundle (exclusive of wrappers) varying over or under five per cent frem the standard weight will be re-ceived, and the gross weight will in all cases be required. Mixing of various thicknesses in the same bundle to make up the weight will be considered a violation of the contract.

CLASS VII. No. 1.—1.500 reams quarto post writing paper.
No. 2.—2,000 "factor with the paper.
No. 3.—500 "demy "..."
No. 4.—2,000 "folio post "..."
No. 5.—500 "medium "..."
No. 6.—50 "royal "..."
No. 7.—50 "superroyal "..."
No. 8.—50 "imperial "..."
No. 9.—100 "colored medium, (assoried.)

CLASS VIII.

No. 1.—5,000 reams writing paper, 19 by 26 inches, to weigh twenty-eight pounds per ream.

No. 2.—3,100 reams writing paper, 18 by 25 inches, to weigh twenty-six pounds per ream.

No. 2.— 100 reams writing paper, 18 by 22 inches, to weigh twenty-four pounds per ream.

No. 4.— 340 reams writing paper, 18 by 18 inches, to weigh twenty-four pounds per ream.

No. 5.— 400 reams writing paper, 12 by 18 inches, to weigh twelve pounds per ream.

All the papers designated in classes 7 and 8 are to be made of the base underland, free from adulteration, and finished in the best man. The papers in class 7 are to be white or blue, of the right standard was of the respective kinds, and of such wealth as may be required by this office; those in class 8 are to be white, and of the sizes and weights specified in the school white, and of the sizes and weights specified in the school white, and of the sizes and weights specified in the school will be sufficiently of each and every kind contracted for, at such times and in such quantities as the public service may require.

The right is reserved of ordering a greater or less quantity of enchand every kind contracted for, at such times and in such quantities as the public service am a require.

Each class will be considered as parately, and be subject to a separate contract; but bidders may offer for one or more of the classes in the same proposal; and the privilege is reserved of requiring a bidder who may have more than one class assigned nim to take all such classes, or furfeit his right to any class.

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A. G. SEAMAN
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Proposals for Erecting a Marine Hospital at New Orleans, Louisiana.

or ten days, and other information obtained on application to the department.

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JAMES GUTHRIE,

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PRINTING-PRESS for sale, cheap for cash.—A double-cylinder Hoe's printing-press now in good running order, being the press upon which the Washington Union newspaper is now printed. Apply at this office.

May 15—diff?

United States Mail.

FLORIDA. POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT, October 11, 1856.

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Leave Jacksonville Sunday and Wednesday at 7 p.m.; Arrive at Alligator next days by 1 p.m.; Leave Alligator Monday and Thursday at 8 a.m.; Arrive at Jacksonville next days by 2 a.m.

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## Proposals for Supplies.

QUARTERMANTER'S OFFICE, M. CORFS, Washington, Oct. 10, 1856.

SEPARATE SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this of dec until 10 o'check, a. m., on Monday, the 10th day of November next, for supplying to the Marine Corps the following articles during the fiscal year ending 30th June, 1857:

ing the fiscal year ending 30th June, 1857:

200 uniform caps, with scales complete
1,600 marine pompons
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100 do of non-commissioned officers' epaulettes
1,000 do of non-commissioned officers' epaulettes
2,000 do of linen pants
2,000 pairs marine brogans
1,000 marine blankets
3,000 pairs marine brogans
1,000 marine datages caps
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1,000 to 9,000 do of blue cloth, cochineal dye, and dyed in the wool.

Samples of the above can be seen at the Office of the Assistant Quartermaster Marine Corps, New York, and a strict conformity to sample will be required. All articles to be inspected and crufted to before payment is made.

The Quartermaster reserves to himself the right to increase or off minish the quantities asmed above, as the interests of the service may suggest. The articles to be delivered at such times, in such quantities, and at such places, as the Quartermaster may direct, free of exposes to the Cuttled Marine. No bid will be entertained unless accompanied by the names of two streeties known to this office, or certified to by some official person. To be endersed "Proposals for Supplies," and addressed to the Quartermaster of the Marine Corps, Washington, D. C.

CRO, F. LINDSAY,

Major and Quartermaster.

The National Intelligencer and Evening Star, Washington, D. C.; Patriot, Concord, and Gazette, Portsmouth, New Hampelton, Portsmouth, New Hampelton, Deat and Times, Beston, Mass. Edgle, Brookiya, Dally Vews, New York; Argus and Pennsylvinnan, Philadelphie, Penns, will publish the above three times a week unit include November used and swed bills, accompanied by a copy of this advertisement, to the office for payment.

Proposals for Rations for 1857.

QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, M. CORFS,
Washington, Oct. 10, 1856.
'ARATE SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this of

onday, the 10th day of November next, at 10 hing rations to the United States Marine ations, for the year 1837, viz : Charlestown, Massachusetts;
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Warrington, Florida; and
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Exch ration to consist of one pound and a quarter of fresh beef, or three quarters of a pound of mess, pork, eighteen onness of the government, and at the rate of six pounds of good coffee, twelve pounds of the best New Orleans sugar, eight quarts of best white beams, four quarts of vinegar, two quarts of sail, flour porfids of good hard brown sonp, and one and a haif pounds of good hard brown sonp, and one and a haif pounds of good hard brown sonp, and one and a haif pounds of good hard brown sonp, and one and a haif pounds of good hard brown sonp, and one and a haif pounds of good hard brown sonp, and one and a haif pounds of good hard brown sonp, and one of the order of the commanding officer of each station, either in bulk or by the single ration and stall consist of the best and most choice pieces of the carear, the pork to be No. 1 prime mess pork, and the groceries to be of the best quality of kinds named. All subject to inspective.

No bid will be entertained unless accompany to the sone commend.

GEO. F. LINDSAY,

Selected PROFOSALS will be received at this department until
the with day of November, A. D. 1863, at 120 clock at most, for
the construction of the New Grienan marine insujital according to the
plane and specifications prepared at this department; and prome
to be either for the whole building, or separate for the diff
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shall be parties in interest who do not join in the bids, and all bids
that, upon investigation, are below a fair price for the work
Hids will be received in gross, at the option of the bidders; but no
contract will be awarded to such bidders until details are furnished
the department of the prices of the different kinds of work and
terials, which shall be subject to the revision of the department, so
that the gross bid shall be equitably apportioned apon the whole
work to guide the department in making payments.

Ninsty per cent of the amount of work done and materials delivered, according to contract price, [said amount to be accordinated
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Ober, A. D. 1806.

By order of the President

THOS. A. HENDRICES,

Commissions of the General Land Office.

[Int. & Star.]

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[No. 567.]

Of withdrawal of lands in Mississippi, Alabama, and Louisiana.

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In pursuance of the act of Congress approved 11th of Angust, 1856, making a grang of land to the State of Miselesippi to aid in the construction of certain railroads in said State, including the nortions of the Mobile and New Orleans railroad in the States of Alabama and Louisiane, instructions have this day been given to the local land officers in Mississippi to continue the reservation from saie of location ordered by telegraph on the 9th instant, and to the Alabama and Louisiana officers to withdraw and reserve the following described lands in their respective districts, as probably failing within the prescribed limits of selection, until otherwise directed, to wit:

Office at JACKSON:

East of Pearl river.

Fownships 6 and 7, of range 5. Fownships 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7, of ranges 5 to 18, inclusive. Fownships 1 and 2, of ranges 6, 7, 8, and 9. Fownship 7, of range 19.

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Townships 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9, of ranges 17 and 18.
Townships 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, and 9, of range 20.
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East of Pearl viver and south of the 31st. deg of latitude.

North and east of the Choristo base line and meridian.

IN ALABAMA. Office at St. Stephens:
South of the 31st deg. of latitude and west of the meridian. Townships 5, 6, and 7, of ranges 1, 2, 3, and 4.

IN LOUISIANA. Office at GREENSBURG: South of the base line and east of the principal merities.

East of the Mississippi river, Townships 11, 12, and 13, of range 12 east. Townships 16, 11, 12, and 13, of ranges 13 and 14 east. Townships 10, 11, and 12, of range 15 east.

Given under my linnd, at the General Land Office, at the city of Vashington, this 15th day of August, 18.6.

JOS. S. WILSON,
Acting Commissioner.

[Inicl. & Star.]

United States Pratent Office,

Wash matton, October 7, 1855.

O'N the petition of John V. S', erwood, of Fort Edward, New York, praying for the exter\_aton of a patent granted to him on the 17th of December, 1825, for an improvement in door locks, for seven years from the experation of said patent, which takes place on the 17th of Dec\_mater, 1835—

It is orde\_ed that the said petition be heard at the Patent Office on T'\_eraday, the 11th day of December next, at 12 o'clock, m.; and all persons are notified to appear and show cause, if any they have, why said petition ought not to be granted.

Fersons opposing the extension are required to file in the Patent Office their objections, specially set forth in writing, at least twenty days before the day of hearing; all tostimony filed by either party to be used at the said bearing must be taken and transpitted in accordance with the rules of the office, which will be furnished on application.

ance with the rules of the office, which will be running on apparation.

The testimony in the case will be closed on the lat day of December next; depositions, and other papers relied upon as testimony, must be filed in the office on or before the morning of that day; the arguments, if any, within ten days thereafter.

Ordered, also, that this notice be published in the Intelligencer, Union, and Evening Star, Washington, D. C.; Republican, Baltimore, Md.; Pennsylvanian, Philadelphis, Pa.; Day Book, New York; and Post, Boston, Mass, once a week for three successive weeks previous to the 11th day of December next, the day of hearing.

Commissioner of Parants.

P. S.—Editors of the above papers will please copy, ar ; send then oils to the Patent Office, with a paper containing this actice. Oct 8—law?w

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DUBLIC notice is hereby given that, after the expiration of six weeks from the present date, application will be made to the Commissioner of the Pension Office, in Washington city, for a depicted land warrant in lieu of the one issued to Rene at Lacroix on the 26th of May, 1856, No. 28,076, for 80 acres, which was bost in the transmission by the mail between Washington city and Belleville, Illinois, during the last of May or the foregart of the reaeth of June last, and never has been received by the said Lacroix. Washington city, August 26, 1856, by Richard M. You'eg, his attorney.

RENE Y., LAUROIX.

D. J. NTEER, Merchant Taller, No. 488 Seventh st., I. notifies his patrons and the public that he has just received from the New York and Philadelphia markets he largest and best stock of cloths, cass mores, vestings, shirts, stocks, ites, gloves, hotter, kee, that he has ever offered for their imagection. From his long acquisitance with the tastes of his patrons and the demands of the Washington public, and the great care he exercised in the selection of his goods, he confidently believes he is better prepared to sait them thus he has ever been before. He solicitis an early examination of his stock and prices by the public, and services all who may call that he takes great pleasure in showing his goods. Especial attention is invited to the stock of shirts, which are believed to be of the very best description made in this country.

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TH. LIMPKIN, Accepts, 1856.

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